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Sirs and Madams- The message is to respectfully inform you that there is no valid reason to restrict so-called "local content" in satellite radio. The intitiative is an obvious attempt to use federal regulation to protect market share, when the ordinary competiive forces would otherwise cause market share to switch from traditional radio to satellite radio. Rather than use federal regulation to allow the market to be stiifled, instead tradioanl broadcasters shoud look harda t why the upstart techolgy is a threat-- gretaer choice, better contnent (even withou the cso-called local contennt), fewer ads etc). Moreover, regulation should be used to allow for greater competition in traditional radio-- fewr corporate umbrella owners, etc. Finally, I can see no reason why, if cable TV is allowed (required?) to carry local content that is truly local in rogiin (as opposed to subject matter), satellite radio cannot do the same.